

House Resolution No. 4317

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, Jeffrey Robert Cook of Gladstone, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on November 2, 2008, at St. Charles Catholic Church; and

Whereas, Jeffrey, a member of Boy Scout Troop 180, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved building and installing park benches at a local park in Gladstone; and

Whereas, during his eight years in Scouting, Jeffrey mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn twenty-five merit badges, CPR certification, and membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

Whereas, Jeffrey demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Historian, Patrol Leader, Assistant Patrol Leader, Patrol Quartermaster, and Den Chief; and

Whereas, the son of George and Colleen Cook, Jeffrey developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include completing Den Chief training, camping fifty-seven nights, attending H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation for two years, and being a member of a Venture Crew with a focus on computer science; and

Whereas, Jeffrey's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Jeffrey Cook for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Jeffrey Robert Cook.

Offered by _____
Representative Jerry Nolte
District No. 33

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 4317, adopted October 8, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker